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MEMORANDUM FOR: Colonel White

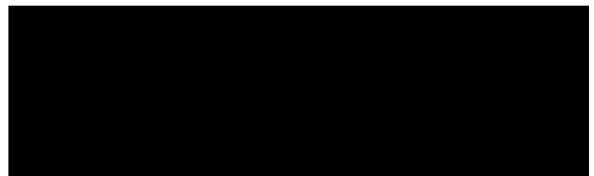
SUBJECT : Comments on Memorandum from AD/P, dtd 28 Sept 54  
in re: "Comments on Procedural Handling of  
Agency Overseas Returnees."

25X1A9a 1. This memorandum sheds only one new ray of light  
on the case of Miss [REDACTED] with which we have  
become familiar. Mr. Reynolds points out that in going  
through Central Processing Branch on 2 March 1954 as she  
returned from the Far East for "medical and security reasons,"  
25X1A9a Miss [REDACTED] had an interview with the Security Office rep-  
resentative assigned to CFB. Mr. Reynolds points out that  
this gentleman's own office apparently had not cut him in  
on the circumstances of the case, further highlighting the  
wretched liaison that went on throughout the entire matter.

2. The whole tone of the memorandum is one of rather  
continued exception to the "unilateral action of the FE  
Division in this case," and the memorandum's conclusion;  
i.e., that a strong "policy statement" will be the best  
medicine, seems to indicate that Mr. Reynolds does not plan  
to take the matter up directly with COA/DD/P, but rather is  
suggesting that the next move is up to us, from which the  
Office of Personnel might benefit in the future.

25X1A9a 3. You may feel that enough dead coals have been  
stirred up in this case; if so, I do not think a positive  
answer is required, since I assume you have discussed this  
matter with Col. [REDACTED] personally. On the other hand,  
25X1A you may feel that our responsibilities under [REDACTED] require  
some formal statement of our position. Our suggestion that  
Personnel might improve their position on similar cases by  
getting in on RYBAT cable distribution appears to have been  
flatly rejected by Personnel.

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